In the House of Representatives, U. S.,

May 7, 2007.

- Whereas classified school employees provide valuable service to America's public schools and community colleges;
- Whereas classified school employees contribute to the establishment and promotion of a positive instructional environment as paraeducators and library aides;
- Whereas classified school employees provide other essential educational services such as transportation, facilities maintenance and operations, food and support services, and health care;
- Whereas classified school employees play a vital role in providing for the welfare and safety of America's school children and students;
- Whereas classified school employees strive for excellence in all areas relative to the education community; and
- Whereas in order that classified school employees are acknowledged for their outstanding contribution to quality education across America, the National Classified School Employee of the Year is recognized: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That The House of Representatives—

(1) supports the recognition of the National Classified School Employee of the Year and urges the United States Department of Education, all States, State education agencies, local education agencies, community colleges, and members of the public to join in this observance;

- (2) congratulates the National Classified School Employee of the Year; and
- (3) congratulates all classified school employees across the Nation for their ongoing contributions to education, and for the key role they play in promoting and ensuring student achievement, student safety and well-being.

Attest:

Clerk.